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Price Two Cents

Interesting Items from our Winter Reduction Sale

Children's SWEATERS 48c. SKATING CAPS 8 and 18c
Men's SHIRTS at 28 and 68c; Ladies' OVERGAITERS at 18c; Women's and Boys' FELT BOOTS at 28c; Little Boys' FELT BOOT OVERS at 48c.

25 per cent reduction on Ladies' White Sweaters; Ladies' extra High Cut Shoes, and warm lined shoes.

No credit on these goods.

Eckert's Store,
"ON THE SQUARE" SINCE 1885.

WIZARD THEATRE

D. J. FORNEY—MANA GERS—N. S. HEINDEL

MELIES BIOGRAPH VITAGRAPH

VALUE RECEIVED—Melies Western
Grub strided to a mine, Whitridge makes a fortune. His staker dies and Whitridge appropriates the entire proceeds to himself. Years later a cowboy courts his daughter but is refused permission to marry her, that cowboy is the staker's son, then—well—you'd best see it. (A Good Western)

BILLY'S PIPE DREAM—Vitagraph Comedy
Featuring Mr. Hughie Mack and Miss Lillian Walker.
He dwells in dreamland, an "angel". He wakes up and sad is the alarm thereof. Nothing like finding out for yourself. (Don't Miss It).

MY BABY—Biograph
The story of a thoughtless promise, with Mary Pickford now exciting all New York, with Balasco playing the Good Little Devil.

Show Starts 6.30. Admission 5c.
COMING! THURSDAY, FEB. 13th.

VOGELS BIG CITY MINSTRELS
Chart at People's Drug Store Monday, February 10th. Prices 35, 50, 75c.
Swiss Bell singers, Matinee and Night February 14th Popular Price 10, 20, 30c.

HATS
Soft and Stiff Hats of the Fall and Winter styles—We are closing them out at \$1.00.

Look at our window as you go by.

Will M. Seligman

NEW PHOTOPLAY

LUBIN SELIG PATHE WESTERN

THE COUNTRY SCHOOL TEACHER—Lubin
A high spirited western girl leads all the teachers of the country school a merry chase, but none conquer her until the new teacher arrives and he does so through love. ARTHUR JOHNSON takes the part of the new teacher.

OLD SONGS AND MEMORIES—Selig
While the young folks sing old songs the old folks enjoy dreams of younger days. Some old war songs are especially well illustrated.

THE BRANDIED ARM—Pathe Western
A little girl's arm is branded when a baby. Later she is captured and held by the Indians until grown up, and finally is recognized by her friends by means of the brand.

SPECIAL SALE

For this week only we will sell our stock of white meta Knives and Forks at these "way-down" prices.

Knives, table size, regular price 10c, special 65c per dozen.

Forks, " " " 3 for 10c, special 20c dozen.

Tea Spoons, " " " 6 for 10c, special 1c each.

Dessert Spoons " " " 3 for 10c, special 20c a dozen.

This will be a last opportunity to buy these goods at such prices.

The Gettysburg Department Store

3 DAYS VOTE SALE

40 VOTES for 1 on the following articles:-

VALENTINES and all that goes with the day including Candy.

Playing Cards Including everything used in the game Tally Cards, Score Pads, Dice, Chips and Books of Rules.

3 Days Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—40 votes for 1—Green Stamps.

PEOPLE'S and HUBER'S DRUG STORE

The Rexall Store.

COMING SHOW

Bell Ringers will be with Musical Georgettes.

Among the testimonials which the Musical Georgettes have received is this: Your company was a real treat to our people last night. There was not a slow moment from beginning to end. Little Josephine is a wonder. All school children should be urged to attend. We hope to have you again. At the Wizard Friday evening, February 14.—advertisement.

PUBLIC SALE: Friday, February 14th, 1913, on the Strickhouse farm in Mount Joy township. I will sell a large quantity of lumber and sawed wood. Sale to begin at one o'clock p. m. Holbert A. Myers.—advertisement.

WURZBURGER, Hofbrau, Bock beers on draft at Hotel Gettysburg.—advertisement.

THE ROSARY

"The Rosary" is Highly Complimented. Appears here Monday.

The stage settings in "The Rosary" Rowland and Clifford's play which will be seen at the Wizard Theatre, next Monday, are very unique. The first act occurs in a wonderful and beautiful grape arbor; the second and third acts are laid in a charming interior, showing the atmosphere of serene home life, while the fourth is a new church built by the unbelieving husband for his friend the priest. After the discussions of the play a wonderful effect is attained by the peace and serene quiet of the church, where the man and woman who have suffered, come at last to lay down their burden and find peace.—advertisement.

3 DAYS 40 for 1 vote sale. People's and Huber's Drug Store.—advertisement.

PLAN TO FINISH STATE MONUMENT

General Huidekoper here in Connection of Work at Pennsylvania State Monument. To Complete it before July.

General H. S. Huidekoper, chairman of the Pennsylvania Gettysburg Memorial Commission spent Tuesday in town on matters in connection with the Pennsylvania memorial and the proposed measure to erect five statues to Pennsylvania generals who fought here. These new bronze statues will be erected if a bill providing for the necessary appropriation passes the Senate and Legislature. Note of the bill was made in these columns several weeks ago.

Eight other statues for which money was appropriated some time ago and which are to be placed on the \$150,000 memorial on Hancock avenue are nearing completion and it is expected that they will be in place before the battle anniversary celebration in July. These eight bronze figures will be placed between the columns at the sides of the four arches and will add much to the general character of the memorial.

The five other statues will be placed at points on the battlefield where the generals fought. Work of correcting mistakes on the tablets about the Pennsylvania memorial was halted by the cold weather and will be resumed early in the spring so that, if possible, they may all be finished before July. Changing of initials and spelling of names are the principal corrections to be made. Some minor damage has occurred at the memorial and this, too, will be repaired early in the spring.

STARR SIGNS WITH YORK

Littlestown Boy Signs with York Tri-State Club.

Manager George W. Heckert, of the York Tri-State club has announced that he has just as good as signed William Starr, who should make things hum around the short stop position. Starr was with the Scranton team of the New York State League, last year. He is a resident of Littlestown, and, according to baseball authorities who have been watching his work during the past few years, the York club has made a lucky find. Starr had signed a contract for only one year with the Scranton team and is a free agent. He has been in communication with Heckert for some time and everything looks favorable for the affixing of his signature.

"Billy" Starr has been playing ball ever since he has been able to walk and is some player. He played on the Mercersburg Academy team before going to Scranton. He finished last season with the Hanover club.

MEADE STATUE

Senate Receives Favorable Report on Pennsylvania's Memorial.

The senate bill for the erection of a foundation and pedestal on public ground in Washington for a memorial statue of Major General George G. Meade to be erected by Pennsylvania was favorably. The bill creates a commission to consist of the governor and attorney general of Pennsylvania, the secretary of war and others to select a site and obtain plans and designs for the memorial. The foundation and pedestal is to be furnished by the government at a cost not to exceed \$10,000, and the statue is to be furnished by the state of Pennsylvania at an approximate cost of \$20,000.

NEW BELL SWINGS

New Bell for Oxford Church Now in Position.

The new bell for the tower of St. Paul's new Reformed church, at New Oxford, was placed in position last week. The bell was made by the Menely Bell Co., Troy, N. Y., and bears the following inscription in raised letters: "St. Paul's Reformed Church, New Oxford, Pa., Rev. W. A. Korn, Ph. D., Pastor, Come Let Us Worship." The bell with rigging weighs 1500 pounds while the bell proper weighs 1090 pounds. It has a clear sweet tone.

ASK CHARTER

Produce Company at Biglerville Seeks State Charter.

Notice is given that an application for a state charter will be made for the Rice Produce Company of Biglerville. The incorporators are A. E. Rice, Oscar C. Rice, C. H. Smith, C. W. Troxel and Clyde F. Daley.

WANTED: man for general housework and to attend to horses. Apply Mrs. J. Emory Bair, Carlisle street.—advertisement.

PANAMA CANAL RANK FAILURE

So Far as being a Good Commercial Proposition is Concerned, Says Congressman Lafean before Large Gettysburg Audience.

"From a commercial standpoint the Panama Canal is a rank failure," said Congressman Daniel F. Lafean before a large audience in Buva Chapel on Tuesday evening. "It is estimated by experts that the annual cost to this country will be \$31,000,000 while the greatest possible income will be \$12,500,000.

"The cost of the canal will be \$375,000,000 and with the necessary fortifications will reach \$400,000,000. There are those who claim these fortifications should not be authorized but it is the only safe policy. We have had enough examples in the past to show us that. No man would build a handsome home, fit it with beautiful furnishings and fail to lock the door at night and neither should we go to such enormous expense of time, money and lives and fail to guard against unfair advantages on the part of outsiders.

"I am thrilled with patriotism every time I see a picture showing any portion of the canal. There is no country in the world which could have undertaken so gigantic a task and brought it to successful completion but the one over which floats the Stars and Stripes. Every cent of the money employed in this enterprise was furnished by the United States and there is no other nation which could have stood such a drain on its finances.

"Shall we then allow Great Britain to dictate terms on which we operate the canal. I don't think so and I believe we have a president with sufficient backbone to prevent any such state of affairs. The United States has built this work and should govern it in its own way though I hope it will not be necessary to resort to force of arms to accomplish that result.

"I have said the canal when completed and fortified will have cost \$400,000,000. Experts declare that the maximum foreign tonnage which will be transported through it will reach 10,000,000 tons which at the proposed rate of \$12.5 a ton would yield a revenue of \$12,500,000. This is the only tangible off-set to an annual expenditure of \$31,000,000, for the maintenance of the canal.

"And yet a work of this sort should be viewed not simply as a matter of dollars and cents. There is not one patriotic American who would say that they wished the work had not been undertaken. It will be the pride of this great country of ours for centuries to come, and there are other things than mere revenue to be taken into account.

"The Pacific States have long been clamoring for a fleet to protect its shores. Everyone concedes that if a foreign foe should ever attack the United States the first one to do it would besiege the Pacific Coast and that foe would be Japan. The canal makes this extra fleet for protection unnecessary, allowing, as it does, the quick passage of warships from one coast to the other.

"The benefit to American shipping will be enormous. Of the boats now plying between the United States and European countries only two per cent have American bottoms. Fifty years ago this condition was reversed. But the men of this country who were at that time engaged in ship building turned their attention to other affairs and the present condition has resulted. With the Panama Canal opened and its waters free to American vessels there will be a great stimulus to a revival of this industry and great benefits will naturally follow."

Mr. Lafean's talk on the canal followed a lecture of an hour and three quarters by Dr. E. W. Brickley who told in an interesting way, and with the assistance of a large and varied selection of slides made from official War Department photographs, of the work at constructing the canal from the start to the present time, illustrating the gigantic character of the task, the obstacles which had been met and how they were overcome. Glimpses of life in Panama were also shown and the evening was a treat to an audience which filled the main chapel, the gallery and a large portion of the annex.

THE Crusaders of the Biglerville Lutheran church will hold a Valentine social in the basement of the church, Saturday evening, February 15th. Refreshments will be served. Everybody invited.—advertisement.

READ the 40 for 1 vote sale People's and Huber's Drug Store.—advertisement.

IF you want a pair of good brood mares, pair of mules and good young horses go to Lott and Boyer's sale, Saturday, February 15th.—advertisement.

THOSE TAKEN BY HAND OF DEATH

Well Known Figure on the Mountain is Dead. Mrs. Benton Fidler Dies in Harrisburg Hospital. Other Deaths.

JOHN W. BROWN
John W. Brown, one of the patriarchs of the mountain, died Tuesday morning at 1 o'clock, at his home along the turnpike near Monterey, aged 79 years, 9 months and 27 days. Mr. Brown was born near Leitersburg. His early education was gained in the public schools in his vicinity. When only a young man he engaged in school teaching and continued in it for many years.

During the war he served in the union army. Afterward for many years he was keeper of the tollgate near Monterey, at the intersection of the Mentzer gap road and the turnpike leading across the mountain and his white house, standing on the north side of the road, was familiar to all who traveled over the mountain.

He was a man of much more than ordinary intelligence and of studious habits. Government and its science occupied much of his time as a student and he had a comprehensive knowledge of political parties, their platforms and their accomplishments and was an authority on the laws as they applied to his community.

Funeral Friday, 10.30 a. m., services at the house, conducted by Rev. James MacKenzie, rector of the Church of the Transfiguration, Blue Ridge Summit. Interment in Burns Hill cemetery.

MRS. BENTON FIDLER

Mrs. Benton Fidler died on Tuesday morning at Dr. Hartman's Hospital in Harrisburg. She had undergone an operation at the institution on the Saturday preceding and was supposed to be getting along nicely so that the news of her death was a great shock to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Fidler lived midway between Bendersville and Aspers and is survived by her husband, W. Benton Fidler, and two children.

The body was brought to her home on the evening train on the Reading Tuesday.

Funeral Thursday meeting at the house at 8.45 a. m. Services and interment at Flohr's Church.

GEORGE SHEPARD

George Shepard, of Buchanan Valley, died on Sunday morning from tuberculosis.

He leaves his wife and the following children, Mrs. Edward McCleary and Mrs. Harry Gilbert, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Margaret Kindig, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Myra Warner, of York; Miss Minnie, Miss Rose, David, Charles and James Kimple at home.

Funeral Thursday morning at nine o'clock from St. Ignatius church, Buchanan Valley.

SURPRISE PARTY

Minter Home the Scene of Pleasant Birthday Surprise Party.

On Saturday evening a very pleasant birthday surprise party took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos L. Minter, February 8th, being the birthday of Mr. Minter. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Minter, Rev. Mr. Floto and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Minter, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Klinefelter, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Heiges, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Minter, Mrs. G. H. Knouse, Miss Amelia Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kime, Mr. John Fidler, J. W. Settle, Misses Myrtle Watkins, Mary Floto, Mary Fidler, Master Paul Settle and Paul Knouse.

LOST TO ST. MARY'S

Gettysburg College Lost to Emmitsburg College on Tuesday.

Mount St. Mary's basketball team defeated Gettysburg at Emmitsburg Tuesday evening, 26 to 16. Only during the first part of the second half did the visitors cause the Mountaineers any serious trouble. Gettysburg only managed to score five points in the first half, the boys from the Mount running up 16 points.

The Catholic High School basketball team defeated the Prep. team by a score of 15 to 14 in Xavier Hall, Tuesday evening.

REVIVAL

Successful Evangelistic Services in the United Brethren Church.

Evangelistic services are being held in the United Brethren church each night this week at 7.30 o'clock. The meetings are well attended with splendid interest. A number have confessed Christ and the church is greatly strengthened. The Men's Chorus will have charge of the singing Thursday evening. J. Chas. Gardner, pastor.

PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Paragraphs of News Telling of the Happenings n and about Town. People Visiting here and those Sojourning Elsewhere.

Judge and Mrs. S. McC. Swope have returned home from a trip of several weeks to Philadelphia. Robert Caldwell is undergoing treatment at the Presbyterian hospital in Philadelphia.

Dr. A. R. Steck has declined the call to the First Lutheran church, Reading, and will continue as pastor of the Union Lutheran church, York.

As previously announced Miss Ruff's school will be re-opened on Thursday morning with Mrs. S. M. Stewart in charge and Miss Grace Sachs will resume teaching in her room.

Roy Enoch, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond at their home on Chambersburg street.

The Asbury M. E. church will hold a Lincoln's birthday meeting at 8 p. m., in honor of the great emancipator. All are heartily invited.

Mrs. E. V. Middleton, of Harrisburg, spent the day in town. Mrs. Middleton is connected with the Associated Charities of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lipsey have returned from attending the convention of the Cutters' Association in Philadelphia.

SOMETHING WRONG

Carlisle Going Backward. Many Houses will be Empty.

Says the Carlisle Herald: "For the past few years it would appear that Carlisle has gone backward rather than forward. The census of 1910 was a surprise to many who believed that the town should have increased more rapidly in the decade which elapsed between 1900 and 1910 the time of the previous census. However, according to recent reports the town is not only failing to advance in population, but is actually growing smaller.

"About a month ago, a local tradesman who has occasion to visit all sections of the town at least once a day, was surprised to see number of 'For Rent' signs on residences and other buildings in all parts of the borough. He made a careful count of the number and the next day verified it. The result was surprising. One hundred and thirty buildings were thus placarded and the greater part of these were vacant. Furthermore, within the last three months, according to records at the local freight station, the number of persons who have secured cars to move their belongings from this town to other localities are about twice as numerous as those who arrive. It would seem that something is the matter with Carlisle."

HOLD REHEARSALS

Preparing to Render "The Story of the Reformation."

Rehearsals are being held nightly for "The Story of the Reformation" entertainment to be given at Buva Chapel, February 20, 21. The play gives historical information that is not easily forgotten, because of the manner in which it is presented. It is surrounded by an attractive religious atmosphere and the interest is held throughout the entire performance. One of the five scenes represented is that of the Monk and choirmen, showing the Monk, impersonated by Mr. Charles Culp, trying to make the choirmen stop singing songs in a language that all could understand. The following gentlemen constitute the choir and render several choruses: Edgar Miller, Calvin Hartman, R. E. Zinn, Benton Rudisill, John Blocher, Stewart Rudisill, D. C. Stallsmith, Frank Rudisill, Harry Wentz, E. P. Miller, Joseph Stemer, Jacob Rudisill, Eugene Phillips, George Black, Wilson Bream and J. E. Leaman.

REFORMED REUNION

Plan Pen Mar Reunion of Reformed Churches.

The board of directors of the Pen Mar reunion of the Reformed churches will hold a meeting Thursday, February 20, to make arrangements for the 24th annual reunion, which is held at Pen Mar the third Thursday of July. At this meeting the program will be arranged and the speakers selected for the reunion. The following are the members of the board of directors, M. B. Gibson, York; W. C. Birley, Frederick, Md.; H. T. Weaver, Gettysburg; George A. Hollinger, Harrisburg; David M. Hurley, Hagerstown; the Rev. James M. Mullen, Baltimore, and Howard E. Bair, Hanover.

CLEAVER RELEASED

Lewis Cleaver is Released on Promise to Pay Costs.

Lewis Cleaver, who has been in jail since January Court, for failure to pay costs in a surety of the peace case, was released on Tuesday after promising to pay the sum in monthly installments.

IF you want some good Durham cows and stock bulls or a sow and 8 pigs go to Lott and Boyer's sale Saturday, February 15th.—advertisement.

GET your garden seeds from a man who knows something of the garden business. J. H. Huber, Druggist.—advertisement.

LETTERS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Correspondents send in Many Items of Interesting News from their Respective Towns. Personals and Many Brief Items.

ARENDTSTVILLE
Arendtsville—Bruce C. Knous has put up a large new stable on his lot in this place.

E. Cecil Stover, teacher of the Grammar School, is quarantined on account of measles his family and C. S. Rice has been engaged to teach the school until Mr. Stover is able to return. The Times on Tuesday stated incorrectly that the school was in Bendersville.

Mrs. Amanda Bucher has purchased the house and lot in Beecherville formerly owned by Mrs. Jacob Fleck, now deceased. Terms private.

Last Saturday the house and lot of Mrs. Andrew Bittinger, deceased, in this town, was sold at public outcry to County Commissioner Noah R. Beamer, for \$1450.00.

Ellis Weigle, of Fort Hancock, N. J., is spending a few weeks with friends in this place.

Daniel Wolff, of Boston, Mass., is a guest in the homes of his brothers Dr. William E. Wolff and Allen B. Trostel, his brother-in-law.

Melvin Warren, one of our blacksmiths, is going about on crutches. He had his left foot badly tramped by a horse which he was shoeing.

At the fair that the Mountain Valley Band of this place held in H. H. Warren's Hall, last week the gross receipts were \$280.00.

Miss Marian Wildasin, near this place, set two hens with 15 eggs each and they hatched out 28 chicks which was a good result for mid-winter.

The funeral of Charles C. McDannell, on Thursday was very largely attended. Mr. McDannell was a veteran of the Civil War, having been a member of the 21st Pennsylvania Cavalry. In April 1911, he suffered a stroke of paralysis. For a time afterward he was able to walk about with the aid of a crutch but later he suffered several other strokes, the last one, in September 1912, which confined him to the house. While sitting at the table Saturday evening, January 26th, he was seized with convulsions. He grew gradually weaker and passed away early Tuesday morning, January 28th, as stated in these columns last week. Besides his wife and children he is survived by two grandsons and the following brothers and sisters: John H. McDannell, of Granite; James Dannel, of Chicago; William McDannell, of Biglerville; Mrs. Lydia Clark, of Topeka, Kansas; and Mrs. Mary McGough, of Boiling Springs.

WHITE HALL

Those visiting at the home of J. S. Sheely and family on Sunday afternoon and evening were Misses Eva and Bessie Geisler, Katie Breighner, Ada Weikert, Grace Buehl, Dillie Weikert, Mrs. Wilbert Buehl, and Mrs. Quintin Robert; Edward Parr, Frank Bream, Charles Grimes, Geo. Schilt and Lloyd Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Little and children, of Littlestown, were guests of Mrs. Little's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Slinghoff on Sunday.

Harvey Weikert, wife and family were visiting at the home of Jonas Robert on Sunday.

Miss Minnie Orndorff, of near White Hall, who was suffering from tonsillitis, is able to teach her school again.

IDAVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Fickes and daughter, Margaret, of York Springs, spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Donald Smith returned home from Gettysburg College Sunday and is now confined to his home with sickness.

Messrs. Elmer Beam and Calvin Paxton have returned to their homes in this place after spending some time in Lebanon.

Messrs. Miley Group and Arthur Myers, of Steelton, spent Sunday at their homes in this place.

W. H. DINKLE, Graduate of Spring

The great popularity and general use of the Royal Baking Powder attest its superiority



When you buy and use only the ROYAL BAKING POWDER, you have the positive assurance that your food raised by it is not polluted by alum, lime, or any of the adulterants common to other powders.

It is unwise to take chances by the use of any other brand

SUFFRAGETTES START HIKE TO WASHINGTON

Left New York Today For Long Walk.

New York, Feb. 12.—This morning the Washington hikers struck the trail at the Hudson terminal.

Dozens of friends accompanied them to Newark, where the yellow wagon in which General Jones and Colonel Ida Craft campaigned through Ohio, waited with a fresh coat of paint and a new pair of front wheels to head the march.

Miss Elizabeth Freeman will drive Suffragette—the horse that draws the yellow wagon is always called Suffragette regardless of sex or convictions—and distribute literature along the way.

The corrected itinerary reads: Arrive Metuchen, Feb. 12; arrive Princeton, Feb. 13; arrive Trenton, Feb. 14; arrive Bristol, Pa., Feb. 15; arrive Philadelphia, Feb. 17; arrive Chester, Feb. 18; arrive Wilmington, Del., Feb. 19; rest at Wilmington till Feb. 21; arrive Northeast, Md., Feb. 23; arrive Havre de Grace, Md., Feb. 23; arrive Arlington, Feb. 24; arrive Abingdon, Feb. 25; arrive Baltimore, Feb. 26; rest in Baltimore Feb. 27; arrive in Laurel, Md., Feb. 28; arrive in Washington, March 1.

6-YEAR TERM PLAN HALTED

House Committee Lays Over Clayton Resolution.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The Clayton resolution for an amendment to the constitution providing for a six-year single presidential term, effective in 1921, and exempting Taft, Wilson or Roosevelt from its operation, was put over to the next congress by the house judiciary committee.

This indicates that no action will be taken on the Works single term resolution, which recently passed the senate.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR steady, winter clear, \$4.10@4.30; city mill, \$3.90@4.10. RYE FLOUR steady; per barrel, \$3.90@4.10. WHEAT quiet; No. 2 red, \$1.03@1.04. CORN steady; No. 2 yellow, \$1.04@1.05. OATS firm; No. 2 white, \$1.00; lower grades, 29c. POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 16@17c; old roosters, 12@13c. Dressed firm; choice fowls, 17@18c; old roosters, 13c. BUTTER firm; fancy creamery, 40c. EGGS steady; selected, 29@31c; nearby, 27c. western, 27c. POTATOES firm; per bush, 70@73c.

Live Stock Markets. PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE active; choice, \$8.35@8.60; prime, \$8.00@8.25. SHEEP steady; prime wethers, \$6.00@6.25; culls and commons, \$2.50@3.50; lambs, \$5.50@9.25; veal calves, \$10.50@11. HOGS active; prime hogs, \$8.10@8.65; mediums, heavy Yorkers and light Yorkers, \$8.50@8.75; pigs, \$8.50@8.95; roughs, \$7.50@7.80.

As small letters weary the eye most, so also the smallest affairs disturb us most.—Montaigne.

FIGHTING BEGUN IN MEXICO CITY

Federals Bombard Diaz Forces in the Arsenal

BATTLE IN HEART OF CITY

Jurting Shells From Big Guns Will Do Enormous Damage to Buildings and Residential Section

Mexico City, Feb. 12.—Fighting has been in progress in the streets of the city for some hours. Neither the rebels nor the federal troops have yet obtained any advantage. The action was accompanied by heavy artillery fire.

The federal army opened fire on the rebels. The federals have artillery, including machine guns, placed near the National theater, and are bombarding the rebels. It is said the rebel forces now number 4000 men.

The federals were reported making an attack on the arsenal. They were led by General Bulnes.

The scene of the battle is in the very heart of the Mexican capital. The jurting shells will inevitably do enormous damage to the buildings in the commercial and residential quarters. A considerable part of the structures in both sections are occupied by foreign residents.

President Madero and the members of his cabinet spent the night in the national palace.

Generals Victoriano Huerta, Felipe Angeles and Jose Maria De la Vega, the federal commanders, began placing their men in position before day-break. The streets leading westward from the palace toward the position occupied by the rebels were used for parking the reserves of loyal infantry, cavalry and artillery. At the ends of these streets federal outposts were stationed.

From above the captured arsenal General Felix Diaz floated his flag of defiance. But Diaz did not rely entirely on his forces in the arsenal district. He detached a few hundred men with artillery to a point in the northwest of the city.

These guns dominated Chapultepec, but instead of shelling the old castle they were held in readiness to strike the federals in the flank or rear.

The American ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson, published a warning to all Americans, urging them not to go unnecessarily into the danger zone. The Zapatistas did not enter the capital, notwithstanding their presence within a few miles of the city.

The struggle of Diaz to overthrow the power of President Madero resulted in the most remarkable scene ever witnessed on the western hemisphere. Street fighting has occurred in Mexico City in times past, but a battle in which the contending forces employed heavy artillery at a range frequently of less than half a mile in a densely populated city was a new and startling spectacle. As the battle proceeded shells intended for the enemy four blocks away often found lodgment in houses a mile or two miles distant. Rifle bullets flew from the center to the circumference of the capital, making safety in any quarter only a relative term.

The heaviest line of fire was early established along Balderas street, the cannon of the opposing forces shooting across only four blocks point blank. The federals at the north end of the line used Cuernavaca.

The extremes of the duelling ground were defended by detachments of infantry and machine guns, whose rain of bullets swept the intervening space, with death to any exposed creature.

No Americans Killed in Mexico. Washington, Feb. 12.—Not a single American has been killed in Mexico since the Diaz coup d'etat, according to dispatches to the state department from Ambassador Wilson. The ambassador stated that reports that Americans had been killed during the fighting in Mexico City on Sunday morning were absolutely without confirmation.

2 NEW BATTLESHIPS VOTED. House Committee Approves Naval Program by Two-thirds Majority. Washington, Feb. 12.—Two battleships, six destroyers, four submarines, one supply ship and a transport were recommended as the naval building program for the next fiscal year by the house naval affairs committee.

An appropriation of \$20,000,000 for initial construction work was voted for all the vessels named. Additional appropriations for completing the work will be made later.

The committee voted 14 to 7 to accept the program proposed.

Boy Praised in House. Washington, Feb. 12.—Business was suspended for fifteen minutes in the house while Representative Hefflin, of Alabama, paid a tribute to Lester Bryan, a Kentucky boy, accidentally asphyxiated several weeks ago when he came to Washington as one of fifty prize winners of the American Boys' Corn Growers' club.

Wage Increase Granted. Boston, Feb. 12.—Demands by Boston & Maine railroad station employees for a wage increase have been granted by the company.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LIVESTOCK. Friday, February 14th, 1913. Two miles South of Harney, Adams county, Pa., on Watson Barr farm, the undersigned will sell 11 head of horses, colts and mules, 18 head of Holstein cattle; 25 head of hogs and some farm machinery.

Sale to begin at 12 o'clock sharp. Terms: 10 months credit to purchasers giving approved security; 4 per cent off for cash.

JOHN W. MILLER, CLEVELAND MILLER.

32,718 FIREMEN VOTE TO STRIKE

Ultimatum Delivered to Roads by Brotherhood.

PEACE MAY YET PREVAIL

If No Compromise Is Reached on Question of Wages Fifty-four Railroads Will Be Affected by Walk-Out.

New York, Feb. 12.—With a strike vote authorized by an overwhelming majority, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen submitted its ultimatum to the representatives of fifty-four eastern railroads, and neither side yielding the conference was adjourned.

Officers of the Brotherhood are authorized to call a strike at once. But its president, W. S. Carter, as a last resort, will submit to the railroads a written statement of the union's attitude. If no compromise is reached on the question of wages and working conditions, more than 30,000 men may leave their locomotives within forty-eight hours.

"We presume you intend to withdraw your men from the service," said Elsie Lee, chairman for the railroads, as the conference broke up. "In that event you will be taking a grave responsibility."

The conference adjourned without any agreement having been reached. Neither side would make concessions. No plans for any future meetings were announced, but it is believed that further negotiations will be opened before a crisis is reached.

Ninety-six and five-tenths per cent of the firemen voted in favor of a strike against the fifty-four eastern railroads.

The overwhelming vote for a strike did not come as a surprise to the railroads. For weeks past they had conceded that such would be the result.

The vote was as follows: Members of the Brotherhood voting in favor of strike, 95.6 per cent; against, 4.4 per cent. Firemen and hostlers, not members of the Brotherhood, 98.6 per cent in favor of strike; 1.4 per cent against strike. Total vote of members and others: in favor of strike, 95.5 per cent; against strike, 3.5 per cent.

Numerically the vote totals 32,718, of which 32,718 favors a strike and 1198 were against. Of the various railroads the Baltimore & Ohio firemen returned the highest percentage in favor of a strike. Three thousand six hundred and nine so voted, as against eleven in the negative. The percentage is 99.7.

The result on three other roads, which may be taken as typical, was as follows: New York Central (proper), for, 2529; against, 153. Pennsylvania lines east, for, 5698; against, 450. Pennsylvania lines west, for, 2778; against, 123.

DEMENTED BOY SHOTS TWO

Fires at Father and Policeman When About to Go to Asylum.

Sunbury, Pa., Feb. 12.—Morris Rossiter, twenty years old, a demented son of C. E. Rossiter, a business man at this place, shot and probably fatally injured his father and Chief of Police William Kerstetter.

Young Rossiter had been confined in the Danville insane asylum, being discharged as cured. Although treatment was continued by an osteopath in Harrisburg, he took a turn for the worse and it was decided to remove him to an institution for treatment.

Young Rossiter, overhearing the conversation between his father and the chief of police, secured a revolver and hid in the garret, opening fire when they appeared. He shot his father near the heart and the chief of police in the head and stomach. He then shot himself through the wrist and surrendered.

TAFT PREPARING TO MOVE. President Begins Making White House Ready For Wilson.

Washington, Feb. 12.—President Taft began to make the White House ready for the occupancy of Woodrow Wilson.

Scores of articles belonging to the Taft family were taken from the attic, where they have been stored, put in moving vans and started on the way to New Haven.

Much of the Taft furniture was collected while the president was secretary of war, and many articles were brought from the Philippines.

Mr. Wilson will find in the old mansion only one reminder of the Taft administration—the oil painting of the president, hung in the main hall at the right of the entrance.

Mother and Son Slain. Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 12.—Police are endeavoring to solve the mystery that surrounds the murder of Mrs. Gennaro Romio, fifty-two years old, and her son Jerry, aged twenty-two, found in their home hacked to death with knives. The woman lay on the floor in the dining room, her body pierced in a score of places. Her son was in the kitchen, where an overturned table and broken furniture told of a struggle against the murderer. The police believe that revenge may have been the motive for the crime.

BARGAINS In York Imperial and Staymen Apple Trees.

Musselman Canning Company.

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, MARCH 1st, 1913.

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale at his residence on the Marshall farm in Hamilton township, on the Cold Spring road 1/4 mile from Tract road and 1/2 mile north of Virginia Mills, the following:

6 Head of Horses and Mules, pair of black mules coming 7 years old, one No. 1 single line leader, these mules are both fine workers and hard to beat, brown mare coming 7 years old, good worker and driver, will work any place except in the lead, safe for a woman to drive, fearless of all road objects, gray horse coming 14 years old, good single line leader will work wherever hitched, blooded mare will be 3 years old last of May, bred from the Hughes horse in Gettysburg, her mother was an old track mare, this mare has good speed and will make a fine driver, has been driven some black mare, Bell, coming 4 years old, has good speed and style, a fine single driver, she is a dandy, just what the young men want; these horses and mules are fearless of all road objects.

8 Head of Cattle—3 milk cows, 2 will be fresh about time of sale, 1 in September, these are young cows and hard to beat, Guernsey and Jersey, 2 stock bulls, one eighteen months old, one sixteen months old, one a Durham the other a full Holstein, 3 young cattle will be a year old in the spring, 2 steers and one heifer.

Three Hogs—2 brood sows, one will have pigs middle of March, the other one in April, one male hog, these hogs are Chester and Berkshire.

Farming Implements—Deering binder good as new, binder wheel, Deering mower in good condition, Deering horse rake, Pennsylvania walking corn plow used one season, Hench & Dromgold walking corn plow, Crown grain drill in good condition, Daisy single row corn planter, plank land roller, cutting box, one 4-horse home made wagon, 3 1/2 inch tread and bed, 2 horse Studebaker wagon 2 1/2 inch tread and bed, one pair of new wood ladders 16 ft. long, falling top buggy, Portland cutter sleigh, light 2-horse sled and spread, manure sled, pair of hay ladders 18 ft. long, 2 long plows, Syracuse, good as new, 2 Percheron horses, 16 tooth, one Thomas harrow 30 teeth, one single shovel plow, 3 shovel cultivator, potato coverer, set of manure boards, scythe and snathe, briar hook, grain cradle, 2 double trees, 2 triple trees, 6 single trees, pair of spreaders, breast, log, butt and cow chains, straw knife, manure, pitch and sheaf forks, scoop shovel pick, mattock and digging iron, axes, wheelbarrow, half bushel, chicken coops, corn sheller, corn choppers, 2 sets breechbands, good as new, 3 sets of front gears, 2 housings, collars, bridles and halters, wagon saddle, 4 or 6 horse line, plow and check lines, carrying straps, set of single buggy harness, flynets, string of sleigh bells, about 200 bushels of ear corn, lot of young hens by the pound, 4 pair of geese.

Household Goods—Luella cooking stove, fire baker, chunk stove, old time walnut bedstead, two 70 pound milk cans, washing machine, butter benches, vinegar barrel, 2 single barrel breech loading shot guns, screen doors and windows, potatoes by the bushel and many articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to begin at 12 o'clock. A credit of 10 months will be given the purchaser by giving note with approved security, 4 per cent off for cash, all sums under \$5.00 to be cash.

R. B. ANDERS.

Martz, auct.

Spangler, clerk.

LARGE PUBLIC SALE

On Monday, March 3, 1913.

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at his residence in Germany township, 2 1/2 miles west of Littlestown on the road leading from Littlestown to Bucher's mill near St. James Church.

24 Head of Good Horses and Mules. 10 head of good Mules, weigh from 1600 to 1400 pounds; 14 Head of good young Horses; leaders, drivers and saddle horses; 25 Head of Cattle; 12 fine Milk Cows; 8 Head extra good stock bulls fit for service; balance heifers.

A Lot of Good Brood Sows and Shoats. All harness and implements used on a large farm. Come early and examine goods, everything must be as recommended on day of sale.

Sale to begin at 11 o'clock. A credit of 12 months will be given on all sums of \$5.00 and over, 5 per cent off for cash.

HARRY G. MYERS.

John B. Basehoar, auct.

THE Quality Shop. We have the Cheney sik ties. They are guaranteed not to show scarf pin holes. Will Seligman.—advertisement.

Also at the same time and place I will sell the following articles: Low-down two horse wagon (new), Oliver chilled plow, large walnut tool chest, ball bearing grindstone, good double header, set of double driving harness, set of gears, buggy spread, cutter sleigh, dung sled.

U. B. DEATRICK.

Dissolution Sale

If you have not taken advantage of our extremely low prices on MERCHANDISE

We invite you to call or inquire of your friends you may have and are able to tell you this is actually a dissolution and that none of our goods has been bought for and advertised sale.

We have yet on hand a few Men's and Boys' Overcoats 25 to 60 per cent off. A few Boys' Work Coats at a sacrifice. Cotton Bed Blankets below cost. A lot of Queensware and Glassware half price. Dominion Cleanser 25c bags, 15c. Opaline Enamel Ware, a good assortment at extremely low prices.

SHOES at and below cost. Sweaters likewise. Hosiery alone will make it interesting. Good dollar quality Linoleum 80 and 85c. no remnants nor damaged pieces.

A lot of Canned Goods 5c. A general reduction on all the lines. A large assortment of D. M. Ferry & Co's new seeds just arrived.

Respectfully,

Lower Brothers,

Table Rock, Pa.

Medical Advertising Quickly Extracts Corns Gives Instant Relief

To use Putnam's Corn Extractor is to get quick relief.

The stinging dispenser, too, feels better at once another application or two and the corn goes away. Nothing ever known acts so quick as Putnam's Extractor—it's so sure, so painless, so certain to root out any kind of a corn that ever grew on foot of man. Putnam's Extractor never fails, 25c per bottle, sold and recommended by druggists and People's Drug Store.

Hyomei Inhaler FOR CATARRH?

If You Own One Then you ought to know that druggists everywhere will hand you a bottle of Booth's HYOMEI for only 50 cents. Pour a few drops of HYOMEI into the inhaler and start this very day to breathe the healing Balsamic vapor and destroy the Catarrh germs.

With every package of Booth's HYOMEI comes a little booklet which explains how easy it is to end the misery of Catarrh and Croup. It is made of Australian Eucalyptus and contains no harmful drug.

But best of all People's drug store is authorized to refund your money if you are dissatisfied. If you haven't the HYOMEI inhaler ask for the complete outfit, \$1.00. Just breathe it—No stomach dosing.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that an application for the Transfer of the Tavern License of George B. Hoover, of Bendersville Borough, for year ending April 1st, 1913, to Frank Bausman of Pittsburg, Pa., has been duly filed in my office, and will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County on the 1st day of March 1913, at 10:30 a. m., and said Transfer will be made unless exceptions are filed prior thereto.

WM. E. OLINGER, Clerk of Q. S. Court.

William Hersh, Esq., Atty. for Applicant. February 5th, 1913.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that Frank Bausman has this day filed in my office an application for Tavern License at the "Elk Horn Hotel" in the Borough of Bendersville, for the year beginning April 1st, 1913, and in pursuance of an order of Court, the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County on Saturday, March 1st, 1913, and said License will be granted unless exceptions are filed prior thereto.

WM. E. OLINGER, Clerk of Q. S. Court.

William Hersh, Esq., Atty. for Applicant. February 5th, 1913.

Notice to Taxpayers

Of Cumberland Township. The County Commissioners have notified me that all outstanding county state, and dog tax must be settled for before the 1st of April 1913. All the above named taxes not paid by March 1st next will be collected without any further notice with cost.

Foster Beard, Collector for Cumberland Township.

Easy Vacuum Washer

Hand or power. For booklet and easy sale terms write, David Knouse, Arendtsville, Pa.

PUBLIC SALE

ON SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1913

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale at his residence in Highland township, on the road leading from Gettysburg and Fairfield road to Orrtanna, 1/4 mile from Knoxlyn mill.

Two good brood mares, dappled roan, rising 5 years, hard to beat, work anywhere, will weigh about 1350 pounds. Gray mare, 17 years old, County cannot beat her as a leader. These mares are both with foal, will all begin of March. Both good family mares, fearless of all road objects.

Four head of cows, one carrying her fourth calf, 3 fine heifers. All will be fresh coming fall. 6 fine sheep, 6 shoats, will weigh from 40 to 50 lbs. Good 2-horse three inch tread Auburn wagon and bed, good as new, 2 falling top buggies, 1 new, only used a few times, spring wagon, new Portland cutter, York grain drill in good order, hay rake, McCormick mower, Spangler corn planter, 16 foot hay carriage, cutting box, bag wagon, forks of all kinds, 2 hand rakes, 2 16 tooth spading harrows, No. 40 Oliver plow, shovel plows, corn plows, manure boards, 20 foot ladder, double and single trees, jockey sticks, log, breast, butt, cow and the chains, pulleys, and lot of rope, grindstone, grain cradle, scythe and snathe, shovels, digging iron, mattock, hoes, and garden rakes, scoop shovel, large meat vessel, barrel of cider vinegar, scalding and cider barrels, two horse sled, stone sled, 2 sets of Yankee harness, 2 bridles, 6 collars, 2 sets buggy harness, pair check lines, choke straps, plow lines, lead reins, hitching ropes, 4 halters, riding saddle, and bridle, roofing, mail and wedges, double bit and pole axes, one hundred fifty chickens, guineas, chicken coops, shipping coops, scales, weighing 400 pounds spraying outfit, horse blankets, bushel basket, 1/2 bushel and peck measures, berry and egg crates, hog crate.

Household goods consisting of 2 iron bedsteads, cot, 4 bed springs, 3 mattresses, lot of pictures among them 2 oil paintings, 36 inches by 25 inches, 3 spinning wheel rockers, water cooler, crockinole board, boy's coaster sled, window screens, apple peeler, carpet sweeper, carpet, Remington rifle, large home-made walnut desk in two parts with pigeonholes, drawers and shelves, 6 round back dining chairs, 6 high back dining chairs, 3 rockers, 2 milk shelves, marble top stand, picture easel, cook stove, iron pots, 2 lanterns, ice cream freezer, churn, butter bowl, paddle and pound print, 3 tubs, wash machine, 2 iron kettles and three foot, smoked meat. Lot of crocks and glass jars, dishes, kitchen table, kitchen cupboard, sink, home-made cupboard in two parts, glass doors, egg coal stove and many other articles.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock. Terms: a credit of 12 months will be given on sums of \$5 and upward, 4 per cent off for cash.

J. C. KNOX.

James Caldwell, auct.

P. A. Miller, clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

On Saturday, February 15, 1913. The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale his property of 46 acres, more or less, 1 1/2 miles south of Greentown, along the road leading from Witherow's Mill to the Ridge road, adjoining the lands of Henry Hoffnagle and Jeremiah Strawsbaugh.

At the same time I will sell 3 head of horses, one 14 years old, one 13 years old, and one 4 years old, two of them good leaders; one cow, will be fresh by middle of March, about 150 chickens, 2-horse wagon, spring wagon, top buggy, spring tooth harrow, corn forks, shovel plow, front gears, buggy harness, single and double trees, bridles and collars.

Sale to begin at one o'clock in the afternoon when terms and conditions will be made known by

WILLIAM T. FISSEL, Agent.

Lightner, auct.

I. P. Taylor, auct.

PUBLIC SALE
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1913.
The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale on the above date at his residence in Mt. Joy township, 4 miles south of Gettysburg on the road leading from Two Taverns to Round Top, the following personal property to wit:

Two head of horses, 1 bay horse, 1 sorrel mare, both good leaders, 4 head of horned cattle, consisting of 3 cows and one heifer, 4 head of hogs, weighing about 50 pounds each.
Farming implements: 1 two and three horse Western wagon, set low-down wheels, 3 inch tread, one falling top buggy, good as new, light two horse sled, McCormick binder, 6 ft. cut, good as new, mower, Deering hay tedder, good as new, horse rake, Winnowing mill, hard to beat, set of hay ladders, 17 ft. long, Spangler corn planter, Weeder corn worker, corn crusher, one Farmers Favorite grain drill, land roller, 15 tooth spring harrow, spike harrow, 2 Barshare plows, one a Mountville, the other Rolling Chilled, one small harrow, 2 single corn workers, single shovel plow, graincradle, hay fork, rope and pulleys, cutting box, single and double trees and jockey sticks, log chains, breast, butt and cow chains, shovels, forks, rakes, wheelbarrow, cross cut saw, augers, 2 ice saws, ice tongs, spreader, 32 ft. extension ladder, single ladder, mixing trough, mattocks, axes, harness, 3 sets of front gears, set of single harness, 2 bridles, flynets, halters, lines, leather lines, block and tackle, with rope, boring machine, grass seeder, sand screen, dinner bell.

Household goods: lounge, cupboard, 2 rocking chairs, 1/2 dozen chairs, table, meat bench, butter churn, boxes washmachine, barrels, sink, cold stove, bedstead and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock sharp. Terms: a credit of ten months and 3 per cent off for cash.
DAVID SCHWARTZ.
G. R. Thompson, auct.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 12—Pen and Sword Meeting. Address by H. C. Niles.
Feb. 13—Vogel's Minstrels. Wizard Theatre.
Feb. 13, 14—School Directors' convention. Court House.
Feb. 14—The Musical Georgetown. Wizard Theatre.
Feb. 15—County Teachers' Rally. High School Building.
Feb. 17—"The Rosary." Wizard Theatre.
Feb. 21—Times essay contest. High School building.
Feb. 21, 22—Story of the Reformation. Brua Chapel.
Feb. 22—Colonial Tea. Raymond's Restaurant.

VOGEL'S MINSTRELS

Good Entertainment Promised Gettysburg Thursday Evening.

John W. Vogel, whose minstrels appear here Thursday evening, February 13, is the owner of the finest private cars used in the theatrical business. It is very large and fitted up with all the comforts and conveniences that are found in a most luxurious home.—advertisement.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. William King wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindness shown during the illness and death of their daughter.—advertisement.

MARRIED man wanted for farm work. Comfortable house in the fruit belt. Give references. Good place for the right man. Address M, care of The Times office.—advertisement.

BUYING A CLAIM

By TIMOTHY W. BARLOW

Billy Watkins was a lovable sort of a fellow. Indeed, he was too lovable to ever make anything of himself. He had some capital and started a business of his own. Any one who is experienced in business knows that somebody about the premises must stand with a club to keep back all sorts of intruders upon the treasury. Everybody that has anything to sell the concern invents all sorts of stories as to why it should be bought. Everybody employed has a reason for increase of salary. And so it goes. If there isn't some one to turn a deaf ear to such talk bankruptcy is sure to come.

Billy paid me a big salary to be a buffer between him and persons who wanted something. But in spite of all I could do they would get past me to Billy himself, and the concern was sure to be "out" some more. "Jones," Billy would say to me, "has sickness in his family and needs an advance of \$100," or, "That drummer who was in here this morning showed some beautiful goods. Besides, he's been having hard luck lately. I'm sure his wares will go off like hot cakes." The result would be that Jones would quit us in debt, and the goods would remain in stock unsold.

Of course the inevitable red flag came in time. After we were sold out I loaned Billy \$200 for present expenses. When I loaned it I never expected to ask for it. Billy said that when he got on his feet again he would pay it, and I knew he would. If he ever got on his feet. But I was taken ill soon after I left his service and was obliged to submit to an important operation. The consequence was that the great specialist who operated on me, hospital board bills and loss of time took all I had.

I applied for a payment of my loan but Billy had given so much in sympathy that he hadn't anything with which to pay his just debts. He sold some bedrooms for a matter of \$20, which he gave me, and when I was obliged to apply to him again sold his overcoat and sent me the proceeds. I didn't know of either of these sales or I wouldn't have accepted the sacrifice. The sale of his overcoat brought on a cold which was followed by pneumonia, and Billy came out of a hospital more deeply in debt than before.

Not being able to work after my operation and not knowing of Billy's real financial condition, I applied to him several times in succession, getting less and less amounts each time, till at last I received a silver dollar. After that I didn't try to squeeze any more blood out of a turnip.

One day a very nice looking lady called on me and asked for Billy. I fancied he owed her money, so I was chary about giving her his address.

"Mr. Watkins can't pay any bills," I said. "He's awfully hard up."

"Does he owe you anything?" she asked.

"About a hundred and fifty dollars."

"What will you take for your claim?"

"Anything you like to offer."

"How would \$50 suit you?"

"Make it \$75 and it's a go," I said more to follow the thing up from curiosity than in the expectation that she would take me up.

"I'll split the difference and give you \$62.50."

"All right," I agreed, wondering what it all meant. She pulled a little checkbook out of a reticule and wrote me a check for the amount, and I assigned my claim on Billy to her. Being a woman I didn't suppose that she would do anything mean in the premises, though after I had made the transaction I was sorry for it, fearing she might want the claim to get revenge for something.

I didn't see Billy after that for some time. Indeed, I didn't care to meet him, for the more I thought about the woman's buying a claim against him the more I believed she had done it to secure some revenge. I feared to hear of his being prosecuted in some way.

One day I saw Billy coming on the street. I was about to dodge into an alley when a second glance showed me that he was much changed. He was dressed handsomely, with a chrysanthemum in his buttonhole and a smart cane. As soon as he caught sight of me he made a dive for me. I waited as a man will stand for an automobile he expects to run him down, not knowing whether or not I would receive a shower of reproaches. When coming up to me he put his arms about me, giving me a bear's hug.

"Where the deuce have you been keeping yourself?" he said. "I've been wishing to see you to tell you of the luck I've had. Not long ago an old flame of mine who once refused to lend me a check for \$87.50, saying that a claim against me had been transferred to her for less than it was worth, that I was welcome to the difference for as long a time as I liked. Well, I took this for a hint to ask again, and I did, with the desired result. We're to be married next month and I wish you to be my best man."

"What are you going to live on?"

"Oh, my girl's rich. I would like to go into business, but she says she has enough for me to do to take care of her property."

"Whose claim did the lady buy?"

"I don't know. She won't tell me."

Billy and his wife concluded to make a tour in Europe before settling down.

WANTED: married man on a large farm in Adams County. Must be honest and industrious and accustomed to the care of live stock. A good place for a man with grown sons. Address Y, care of The Times office.—advertisement.

REFRESH your memories of early Lutheran history by witnessing the wonderful Reformation play in Brua Chapel, February 20th and 21st.—advertisement.

WANTED: married man or widow with grown sons to board hands and work on farm in the north end of the county. Address A, care of The Times office.—advertisement.

SENORA MADEFO

Wife of the President of the Republic of Mexico.



HITCHCOCK FAVORS U.S. TELEGRAPH CONTROL

Recommends Operation With the Mail Service.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Government ownership or control of telegraph lines is again recommended by Postmaster General Hitchcock in his complete annual report transmitted to congress Mr. Hitchcock says:

"In the last annual report the opinion was expressed that telegraph lines in the United States should be made a part of the postal system and operated in conjunction with the mail service. It is believed that under proper management such a consolidation would result in important economies and permit adoption of lower telegraph rates.

"Now that a postal savings system has been established and parcel post provided for, there would seem to be no better opportunity for the profitable extension of our postal business than through the adoption of a government telegraph system."

Mr. Hitchcock also recommends that the use of the franking privilege be restricted "to official correspondence, not exceeding four ounces in weight, and the mailing of such speeches and documents as are printed by order of congress."

HELD AS BRIBE TAKERS

Five W. Va. Legislators Accused of Getting \$20,000 For Senatorial Votes.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 12.—Five members of the legislature of West Virginia were arrested on warrants issued at the instance of the prosecuting attorney.

The men arrested are: Senator B. A. Smith, of the Fourth district; Delegate S. U. G. Rhodes, of Mingo county; Dr. T. G. Asbury, Putnam county; David E. Hill, Mason county; Ralph Huff, Jackson county.

The five are charged with having accepted \$20,000 for voting for William Seymour Edwards for United States senator. Rhodes is alleged to have received \$15,000, Huff \$2,000 and the other three \$1,000 each.

After it is alleged, they received the money they were taken into another room at the hotel, where they were arrested by Sheriff Bonner Hill and Prosecuting Attorney Townsend.

Carnegie Money to Study Teaching.

New York, Feb. 12.—Andrew Carnegie has given to the Carnegie Foundation for the advancement of teaching \$1,250,000, the income from which is to be used for the study of education and educational institutions. The gift is distinct from the \$15,000,000 which Mr. Carnegie put aside for pensions for college presidents.

Gives Salvation Army \$50,000.

New York, Feb. 12.—Announcement of a gift of \$50,000 to the Salvation Army was made. This benefaction came from a woman in Detroit, Mich., and is to be used for the Salvation Army rescue work in that city. It was presented in the name of the late General Booth.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Albany.....	30	Cloudy.
Atlantic City...	42	Cloudy.
Boston.....	36	Clear.
Buffalo.....	24	Clear.
Chicago.....	18	Clear.
New Orleans....	64	Rain.
New York.....	35	Cloudy.
Philadelphia....	40	Cloudy.
St. Louis.....	26	Clear.
Washington.....	42	P. Cloudy.

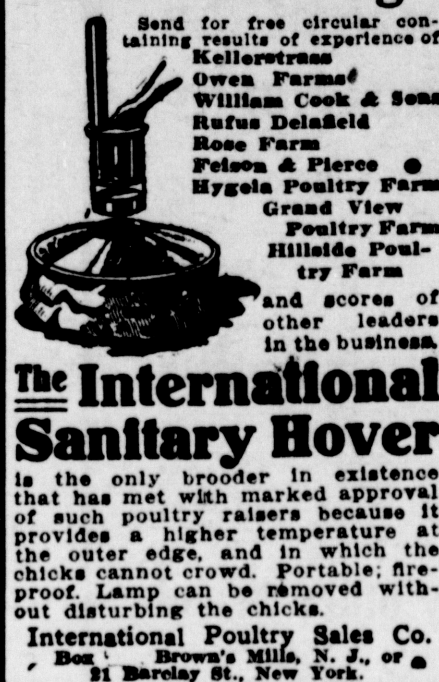
The Weather.

Fair today and tomorrow; northwest winds.

SEE the trial of Luther at Worms, showing the Emperor, the Emperor's guards, Luther, the Cardinal, Melancthon, priests etc., in Brua Chapel on the evening of February 20th and 21st.—advertisement.

WANTED: married man or widow with grown sons to board hands and work on farm in the north end of the county. Address A, care of The Times office.—advertisement.

Revolution in Chick Raising



The International Sanitary Hoover is the only brooder in existence that has met with marked approval of such poultry raisers because it provides a higher temperature at the outer edge, and in which the chicks cannot crowd. Portable; fireproof. Lamp can be removed without disturbing the chicks.

International Poultry Sales Co., 21 Barclay St., New York.

J. C. MINTER, Sole Agent for Adams County, Tillie, Pa.

PUBLIC SALE

On Thursday, February 20, 1913. The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale in Hamilton township, one mile west of Fairfield, on the farm known as the Grove farm, the following personal property:

Four head of horses and mules, one brown mare 9 years old, well broken, anybody can drive her; one pacing mare 5 years old, a fine driver; one pair of black mules six years old, well broken, will work wherever hitched, any child can work them, weigh about 1000 lbs., three milk cows, one red cow will have calf by her side by day of sale; one spotted cow carrying her third calf, will be fresh about the middle of March; one Jersey cow carrying her seventh calf, will be fresh in March; 33 head of hogs, three sows will have pigs the first of April, 30 fine shoats weighing about 70 pounds, 200 S. C. Rhode Island Red hens, 3 fine Buff Leghorn roosters, corn by the bushel, hay by the ton, one chicken house 40 feet long, one house 20 feet long, one 10 foot long, one pair of hay ladders twenty feet long, Dayton wagon, steel tire buggy, sleigh, set of lead harness, pair breechbands, good wagon saddle, four brooders, and other articles not mentioned. All sums under \$5 cash, over \$5 a credit of 8 mos. time will be given to purchasers giving their notes with approved security.

Sale to begin at 12 o'clock, noon.

OLIVER SANDERS.

Caldwell, auct.

J. A. Spangler, clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1913. The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at the George W. Shealer farm in Straban township, on the road leading from Gettysburg to Hunterstown, 2 miles from the former, the following:

6 head of horses and colts, 1 bay mare 5 years old, good worker and driver, 1 bay mare, good leader and worker, 1 pair of dark brown coach colts, 2 and 3 years old. They have been worked single and double. Bred from Sisto, the French coach stallion. They match in size and color. 1 black mare colt, 8 months old, 1 bay horse colt, 8 months old. These two are out of the Troxel horse.

5 head of milk cows, 2 have calves by their sides, 1 fresh the last of March carrying 3d calf. The other a fall cow carrying her 2nd calf. Holstein cow will be fresh in July. All young cows, 50 head of hogs, 22 shoats will weigh 60 to 80 pounds 2 brood sows with pigs by their side, 1 thorough bred Berkshire sow, eligible to register, 200 chickens, mostly pullets, 1 spring tooth harrow, grain drill, 1 corn plow, corn planter, double shovel plough, wheelbarrow, grind stone, bushel basket, double and single trees, middle rings and cow chains, Dayton wagon, surrey good as new, Jenny Lind, good order, milk cans just new, 2 scaps of bees and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock when a credit of 12 months will be given on all purchases of \$5.00 and upwards to purchasers giving their notes with approved security.

MERVIN J. SHEALER.

G. R. Thompson, auct.

C. C. Bream, clerk.

7th Friday

Cut Price Sale

Friday, Feb., 14, 1913

Every Friday we will sell goods at cut prices.

50 lbs. Fancy California Peaches 12¢ today 9¢.

100 lbs. Fancy Head Rice 10¢ today 8¢.

13 pairs Men's Rubber Boots, sizes 9 and 10—\$3.50 today \$2.49.

24 pairs Women's Cloth Lined Shoes, \$1.35 today 95¢.

50 pairs Women's Rubbers, 50¢ today 35¢.

20 Boy's Sweater Coats, 50¢ today 35¢.

Lot Boys' Sweater Coats at half price.

200 yds. dress outtings 10¢ quality at 7¢.

200 yds. dress gingham 10¢ quality at 6¢.

12 pairs men's Cord Pants \$2.50 at \$1.90.

9 pieces Laundry Soap shirts for 10¢.

Lot of men's Work Shirts 50¢ regular, today 3 for \$1.00.

Winter Goods all kinds to close out.

We pay for land 10¢—Chickens 13¢.

Eggs 20¢.

Free Samples of Sydmore Green Toilet Soap.

Nice lot of Valentines—see windows.

Don't miss this sale.

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Bay Mare 7 years old, perfectly safe for any woman or child to drive. Fearless of all road objects, and a No. 1 saddle.

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The Carpet and Curtain department now filled with---

New Carpets	New Linoleums
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New Rugs of all sizes	Scrims
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New Crepes & Ripplettes	New Galateas
New Tub Silks	New Serge Ratine
New Dress Gingham	Dresses
New Dress Zephyrs	New Spring Coats
New Cotton Ottoman	For Misses and Children
New Cotton Welts	New Muslin Underwear
White and Colored	New Embroidery and
New Ratines	Laces
New Dress Linens	New Dress Laces

Many other New Things coming in every day.

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during the summer season or 50th Anniversary period, should confer with the Management and the necessary arrangement be made at once.

A limited amount of additional special lighting will be taken if arranged for in the very near future.

Gettysburg Light Company

February 10th, 1913.

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What winter stock we have here
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Large Public Sale of HORSES and MULES

Will be at Forney's Stables, Harrison Avenue, Chambersburg, Pa., on

Saturday, February 22, 1913

20 Horses and 16 Mules

Consisting of Workers, Drivers and Several Good Brood Mares with Foal, ranging in age from 2 to 5 years old. 5 pairs of mules, 3 years old, all gentle and broke to work, 1 pair 2 years old, 1 pair 8 years old, will weigh 2400 pounds; good big slaves with slight blemishes, will not hurt them to work; 5 old mules, 1 three year old, weigh 1100 pounds, excellent good worker. One five year old, brown mules, will weigh 1050 pounds, good worker. 1 black, 12 years old, weigh 1100 pounds, good worker and single line leader. 1 black, 12 years old, weigh 1100 pounds, good worker and single line leader. Among the 5 pairs of three year old are some good single line leaders. The above horses and mules will be sold regardless of price, in order to settle up the partnership business. Your price will be ours that day. Horses can be seen at the stables, Harrison Avenue, Chambersburg, Pa., one week before sale.

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock sharp, when a credit of 6 months will be given by

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Also at the same time and place I will sell my

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This is a seven passenger car, 6 cylinders, in excellent running order, with good tires, and has never been run a great deal. It is not necessary to say more about this car, as the Franklin is one of the best and well known makes. I will also sell one Olsen street sprinkler tank, capacity 14 barrels.

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